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Attorney Docket No.

TUMB-102CIP

First Inventor

BANDINI et al.

Title

METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR E-MAIL MESSAGE
TRANSMISSION

Express Mail Label No

EL 790 615 392 US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit and original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 37]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 14]
5. ☒ Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 2]
- a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
- i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
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named in the prior application, see 37 CFR
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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- i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☒ Power of
(when there is an assignee) Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☐ Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122
(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35
or its equivalent.
17. ☒ Other: Non Publication Request under 37
CFR 1.213; 37 CFR 3.71 P.O.A.

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or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☒ Continuation-in-part (CIP)

of prior application No.: 09/180,377

Prior application information:

Examiner not known

Group Art Unit: not known

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Entitled: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR
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Attorney Docket No.: TUMB-102CIP

PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND FEE AUTHORIZATION

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents:

Specification, including claims and abstract (37 pages);

Drawings (14 sheets, Figs. 1-12);

Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (2 pages);

Executed Power of Attorney By Assignee under 37 CFR §3.71 (with attachments);

Utility Patent Application Transmittal (PTO/SB/05, 1 page) ;

Non-Publication Request (1 page); and

Executed Assignment & Recordation Cover Sheet (3 pages).

The fees for submitting this patent application are estimated as follows:

Fees

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				Rate	Fee	Rate	Fee
Basic Fee					\$ 355.00		\$ 710.00
Total Claims	15	(- 20)		x 9.00	\$	x 18.00	\$
Indep. Claims	6	(- 3)	6	x 40.00	\$ 120.00	x 80.00	\$
Multiple Dependent Claim(s):				\$135.00	\$	\$270.00	\$
				TOTAL:	\$ 475.00	TOTAL	\$

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the filing fee estimated to be \$ 475.00 and any fees which may be required in connection with this submission, to Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP **Deposit Account No. 19-2385**. (Please reference Attorney Docket No. TUMB-102 CIP).

☐ Priority of Application No. _____, filed _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.

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NON-PUBLICATION REQUEST UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.213

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the above-identified application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b) and 37 C.F.R. 1.211.

It is hereby certified that the invention disclosed in the application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

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